

September 25, 2003

D. Wayne Hedberg Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

This letter is in response to your letter dated July 30, 2003, regarding Transfer of Large Mine Permits for Ekins East Quarry and Lehi-Peck Quarry. You have given the date of September 30, 2003 for Staker & Parson Companies to file the appropriate forms.

Staker & Parson Companies is asking for an additional 30 days to acquire all of the necessary information to hand in complete permit transfer forms and sureties. The request is due in part to land issues concerning the Ekins Quarry. The issues are being heard by the Utah County Planning and Zoning Department, thus Staker & Parson Companies is asking for additional time to await zoning decisions concerning the Ekins Quarry.

Regarding the Lehi-Peck Quarry, Staker & Parson Companies has this application nearly complete, and we anticipate handing over the transfer forms within 2 weeks. We are trying to tie up some loose ends concerning the bond for this quarry.

We appreciate your patience. Please notify me if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Staker & Parson Companies

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